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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed June 21, 2001 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicants as a small entity submit herewith the following:

- Payment of the surcharge of \$65 for late filing of the basic filing fee and/or declaration;
- A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.497(a) and (b);
- Response to Response to Notification to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequences (2 pages);
- ▼ Verified Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.821(f); and
- Sequence Listing paper copy (8 pages) and computer-readable copy (1 diskette).

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required.

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